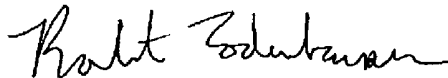


REMARKS

All claim rejections given in this office action have been responded to. Accordingly, Examiner's reconsideration of, and allowance of, this case is respectfully requested.

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